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COMMENT ON REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE COMMENT REGARDING EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

This paper is being filed in response to the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance and the Examiner's Amendment in the above-noted application.

Regarding the reasons for allowance, applicants respectfully submit that the comments by the Examiner should not be used to interpret the scope of the claims of the present application or give rise to any implications regarding claim scope. In addition, applicants will not address the accuracy of the Examiner's characterization of the prior art because such a response would not serve to advance prosecution of the present application. Finally, applicants note that no Office Action has been entered in the present prosecution rejecting, or objecting to, any claims, on any grounds. The presently pending claims have been allowed without the need for arguments or amendments in support of their patentability.

Regarding the examiner's amendment, applicants have no objection to the removal of the cross reference section but note for the examiner's edification that the application referenced in the originally-filed application has recently published as US 2005-0217334-A1, formerly Serial No. 10/813,580.

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